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HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE ENGROSSED NO. **HB 1084** - 01/23/2006

Introduced by: Representatives Michels, Hunhoff, and Rave and Senator Moore

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to authorize counties to regulate the operation of certain
2 off-road vehicles in highway ditches.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That chapter 32-20 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
5 follows:

6 Notwithstanding the provisions of § 32-20-12, any board of county commissioners may, by
7 ordinance, prohibit the operation of off-road vehicles in any highway ditch along any section
8 of highway under its jurisdiction. If the operation is prohibited in a highway ditch pursuant to
9 this section, the operation of off-road vehicles shall be permitted, by ordinance, on the adjacent
10 shoulder of the highway. This section does not affect service vehicles of any electric utility or
11 gas utility as defined in § 49-34A-1 while in the line of duty for the utility.

